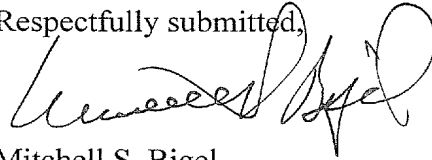


REMARKS

In response to the "Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment (37 CFR 1.121)" ("Notice") of January 18, 2007, at Paragraph 4, a new set of claims is being filed concurrently herewith, with Claims 46-105 being indicated as canceled. The Examiner is correct in that there were no Claims 106-107 pending. As stated in the Notice at Paragraph 2 under "Time Periods for Filing a Reply to This Notice", "If any of boxes 1.-4. are checked, the correction required is only the **corrected section** of the non-compliant amendment in compliance with 37 CFR 1.121." Accordingly, the remarks from Applicants' Amendment of December 12, 2006 have not been repeated.

Applicants regret the error in their earlier Amendment.

Respectfully submitted,

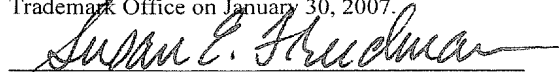


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